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RE: Serial No. 09/497,865, filed February 4, 2000, Inventors: Donald C. D. Chang et al.
For "AN IMPROVED PHASED ARRAY TERMINAL FOR EQUATORIAL SATELLITE
CONSTELLATIONS", Examiner G. Issing, Group Art Unit 3662
(Attorney Docket No. PD-980034)

Transmitted herewith are duplicate copies of a "Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) Request Transmittal". This request was originally mailed via Express Mail (Label No. EF740970152US) on October 29, 2001. A copy of the Express Mail Label with the Date In of 10/29/01 is also enclosed herewith. However, it appears that, to-date, the CPA has not been received by the Office. Therefore, the Office is requested to enter this copy sent via facsimile, enter the previously submitted (unentered) amendment filed on October 9, 2001 and examine this application. Authorization to charge the deposit account is on the Transmittal letter. Since the CPA was timely filed via Express Mail on 10/29/01 in response to the Final Office Action dated August 9, 2001 and no fee for extension of time was at due at that time, it is believed that no fee for extension of time should now be due. However, this conditional petition for extension of time is being submitted, in the event that a fee for an extension of time is necessary. The Office is authorized to charge any necessary fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0383 and to credit any overpayment to that account.

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In re: DONALD C. D. CHANG, et al.

Serial No. 09/497/865

Filed: FEBRUARY 4, 2000

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